

Carl Vinson / CVW-9 Sailor of the Day HN Jennifer Lochart



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Lochart maintains and tracks over 5.000 medical records when working as a health records custodian. This contributes maintaining a medical readiness of 99.1%. She says her goal is to bump that number up to 100%.



Lochart
performs eye
exams as
part of flight
deck
physicals.
These exams
test a variety
of elements
including
color
blindness.



When something ails the members of VFA-147, The Argonauts, they call on their "doc," HN Jennifer Lochart. Being the only Corpsman assigned to the squadron; she is the liaison between the crew and the flight surgeon that looks after three different squadrons.

"Being given the endearment 'doc' has to be the best thing about my job," said Lochart. "The squadron is much like having my own children. It's my job to take care of them."

Lochart, who joined the Navy as a stepping stone to becoming a medical doctor, said she feels the squadron has a lot of camaraderie that also makes her job enjoyable.

When not working on updating records, performing tests or helping in the operating rooms, Lochart likes to spend her time working on two-wheeled perfection.

"She's a beauty," said Lochart about the custom Yamaha R6 she enters in bike show competitions. "I have twenty-seven 'best in show' trophies."

With the work it takes to maintain a custom motorcycle with a mostly black and chrome appearance, one might think it was hauled around on a trailer, however, Lochart sees things slightly different.

"When we return to Lemoore, I can't wait to ride my motorcycle.

Till that day, Lochart plans to continue taking care of the Argonauts and earning dual warfare qualifications.



Jennifer Lochart is assigned to VFA-147, The Argonauts. She is the only Hospital Corpsman assigned to the squadron and works in Aviation Medicine Department. While deployed and in her homeport, she is the liaison between the squadron and the flight surgeon.

